

# TODAY'S PRICES

Mexican bank notes, state bills, 9@10c; pesos, 78c; Mexican gold, 56@58c; nacionales, 173@184c; grain, silver, 1.01@1.02; copper, 28c; bars, unsteady; livestock, lower; stocks, higher.

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WEATHER FORECAST.  
El Paso and West Texas, fair, frost; New Mexico, fair and warmer; Arizona, fair. (Food forecast for Friday—One wheatless meal).

## GERMAN STATE OF AUSTRIA SENDS AN APPEAL TO WILSON

New State Now Fully Organized, Claims All Territory of Old Austria Where German Population Is Dominant; Recognizes Jugo-Slav, Czech-Slovak Freedom; Asks to Participate in Peace Negotiations.

### Allies May Make Known Armistice Terms This Week

Preliminary Conversations Ended; Important Discussions Begin.

London, Eng., Oct. 31.—The preliminary conversations which lately have occupied the allied representatives in Paris have been concluded and more important discussions now are beginning, according to reports reaching official quarters here. To take part in the discussions, Andrew Bonar Law, chancellor of the exchequer, went to France yesterday, crossing the channel in an airplane.

**Look for Announcement.**  
The scope of the deliberations of the allied representatives has not been announced, although it is stated from a reliable source some official declaration of armistice terms possibly may be made before the end of the present week, nothing definite is known at this time.

**Believe Work Unfinished.**  
Washington, D. C., Oct. 31.—No information had reached Washington through either official or diplomatic channels to indicate that the American and allied military representatives in France had completed their work of framing terms upon which Germany might be granted an armistice. It was assumed that the report of the arrival of marshal Foch's terms at Berlin Tuesday, referred to in a Copenhagen dispatch, quoting the Berlin Voelkische Zeitung, was based upon press dispatches of Tuesday from London purporting to indicate what would be demanded of Germany.

**Lansing Receives Note.**  
Minister Ekrengrun, of Sweden, delivered to secretary Lansing today the note of count Andriasy, new Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, which was said to contain a statement that "American troops under the Austrian request for American and allied armistice terms. The note was in Swedish text. The translation shows no material difference from the version already published in press dispatches."

**Advices Say Revolution Spreads in Montenegro.**  
Amsterdam, Holland, Oct. 31.—Advices received by the Dutch news-

## Volunteer To Give To War Fund And Get Into Movies To Be Sent To The Soldiers

MOVING pictures of El Pasoans who contribute to the united war work fund voluntarily will be made and sent overseas to the men in the trenches, according to plans of Myrtle Cobbett, chairman of the El Paso campaign.

It is the plan of Mr. Cobbett to call all of his majors into consultation and let them in turn call their captains and workers together so that the outpouring of volunteers will be great. All the majors, captains and team members are to be asked to volunteer their subscription on the morning of the opening day of the campaign, Nov. 11. These officials and teamworkers will meantime get in touch with their friends and acquaintances and ask them to be ready to make voluntary contributions on the opening day.

**To Make Pictures.**  
While military hands play on the plaza, these workers and other volunteer subscribers, will gather at Liberty monument in Pioneer plaza, and, passing through one door, where they will leave their voluntary pledge cards, they will pass out of another and be photographed by the moving picture camera.

The entire first floor of Liberty statue has been secured for the use of the committee and a large force of clerks will be on hand so that the stream of volunteers need not be interrupted. As a man or woman passes through with his or her voluntary subscription, the clerk will join the line marching before the camera and

## One Herald Ad Results In Sale Of Real Estate Totaling \$155,000

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September 14 I received inquiry from a man in Arizona, concerning a small advertisement we were running at that time in the classified columns of your paper for cattle ranches, etc., and among other things he wrote: "I will sell my cattle and ranches and take in part payment property mentioned in your advertisement this date."  
On Oct. 19, little more than 30 days later, he succeeded in closing a contract for the sale of this property, which will run about \$115,000. The El Paso real estate, amounting to \$40,000, totaling \$155,000 sale from the small ad in the Herald.

Of course we believe The Herald a good medium for advertising.  
W. E. Hale & Co.

## TURK FORCES LAY DOWN THEIR ARMS OTTOMAN GOVERNMENT SURRENDERS

200,000 RUSSIAN PRISONERS ALL IN FEE LANDS  
LONDON, Eng., Oct. 31.—The Turkish army in the Tigris region in Mesopotamia, has surrendered with one entire division and the best part of two other divisions, the Evening Standard says.

The Standard also says it understands the British view, which is that the Turkish army, which had not yet reached London in the early afternoon.

**London Dispatches Contain Sensational Reports About Yielding of Constantinople Government; Washington Refers to Allies Turkey's Plea Similar to Those Made by Austria and Germany; Reply Announced.**

**Foch's Terms Reach Berlin, Says Report**  
London, Eng., Oct. 31.—Marshal Foch's armistice terms arrived in Berlin Tuesday night, the Voelkische Zeitung, Berlin, says it learns, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Berlin.

**Turkey In The War For Past Four Years**  
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**Important News Falls.**  
In Palestine the allied drive under Gen. Allenby resulted in a few days in the capture of the important base of Aleppo. The Russian campaign in the Caucasus was reported fruitless by the result of the Baku revolution.

**Paris Paper Suggests Armistice Terms With A Full Set Of Teeth**  
Paris, France, Oct. 31.—In an editorial discussing armistice terms, L'Information suggests the following conditions:

**French Troops Repulse STRONG COUNTER ATTACK**  
Paris, France, Oct. 31.—French troops late yesterday repulsed a strong German counter attack north of Chateau Porcien, according to the official statement today from the war office.

**GERMANS DOWN 58 ALLIED AIRPLANES, THEIR CLAIM**  
Berlin, Germany, Oct. 31.—The shooting down of 58 allied airplanes yesterday by German army headquarters, according to the official statement on aviation activity.

**DISCOVER FLOATING MINES OFF THE DELAWARE CAPES**  
An Atlantic Port, Oct. 31.—Discovery of two floating mines off the Delaware Capes was reported today by an American vessel arriving from Cuba. The mines were destroyed.

**GERMANY'S CONTINENTAL POLICY HAS COLLAPSED**  
Hamburg, Oct. 31.—The continental policy of the German empire has collapsed, says the Vorwaerts, of Berlin.

**GREK SHIP SINKS U-BOAT**  
Washington, D. C., Oct. 31.—Sinking of an enemy submarine in the Aegean by a Greek ship was reported in a dispatch received yesterday by the Greek legation from its government.

**DIVERS SEEK TO RECOVER VALUABLES WITH SOPHIA**  
Jameau, Alaska, Oct. 31.—Deep sea divers, rushed north from Vancouver, B. C. left here for the scene of the wreck of the British ship Sophia, which went down with the loss of about 24 lives between here and Skagway, Alaska, Friday night.

**SENATOR REED ATTACKS LEAGUE OF NATIONS IDEA**  
St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 31.—Senator Reed, in a written statement, last night attacked the idea of a league of nations to enforce peace after the war, as set forth in the 14th plank of the country's European platform.

**WOULD CHASTISE GERMANS WHOSE PEACE PLAN FAILED**  
Amsterdam, Holland, Oct. 31.—The Lokale Anzeiger, of Berlin, says it understands, is debating the question of calling to account the statesmen responsible for the failure of the German peace movements late in 1918 and at the beginning of 1917.

**TURKS RELEASE TOWNSHEND, CAPTURED BRITISH LEADER**  
London, Eng., Oct. 31.—Gen. Townshend, the British commander, captured at Kut el Amara, was liberated several days ago by the Turks, Sir George Cave, the home secretary, announced in the house of commons today, in order to inform the British admiral in command in the Aegean that the Turkish government asked that negotiations opened immediately for an armistice.

**CHINA IN ON PEACE TERMS; WANTS TSING TAO RETURNED**  
San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 31.—The return of Tsing Tao, taken from Germany by the Japanese army, for the one of the things China will want, the allies discuss general peace terms, according to Dr. C. T. Tsiu, newly appointed Chinese minister to the United States in New York, who is here today on a route to his post.

**STANDARD OIL ADVANCES REFINED PETROLEUM PRICE**  
New York, Oct. 31.—The Standard Oil company, of New York, today advanced the price of refined petroleum in barrels 1 1/2 cents, to 17 1/2 cents a gallon.

**CLAMPETT BOUND OVER ON DEPORTATION CHARGE**  
Phoenix, Ariz., Oct. 31.—The 25th in a series of deportations, with the 1918 deportations have just been bound over here for trial, with \$5000 bond furnished. He is R. A. Clampett, who was assistant postmaster at Bisbee at the time of the deportation and who later was sentenced for perjury to a federal prison term of 15 months, spent by him at Tacoma, Wash.

**MUNITIONS WORKERS URGED TO IGNORE TALK OF PEACE**  
Washington, D. C., Oct. 31.—An appeal to munitions workers to ignore talk was issued today by Maj. Gen. Williams, chief of ordnance.

**Boys "Insult" Flag Girl Raises For Her Soldier Brother; She Ends Life**  
New York, Oct. 31.—Sadie Delton was buried yesterday, and as thousands watched the funeral cortege of the 15 year old girl, police reserved guarded houseposts and fire escapes in Harlem to prevent any outbreak of violence. The girl, because of a flag, which she displayed in honor of the American expeditionary force.

**RISBEE, ARIZONA, HAS A \$250,000 FIRE THURSDAY**  
Bisbee, Ariz., Oct. 21.—Fire of undetermined origin early today destroyed the supply house of the Copper Queen branch of the Phelps Dodge company, causing a loss estimated at \$250,000.

**ANTRACITE COAL MINERS GET RAISE OF \$1 PER DAY**  
Washington, D. C., Oct. 31.—An average wage increase of \$1 a day was granted anthracite coal miners by fuel administrator Garfield today, effective November 1.

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## DEFEATED AUSTRIAN COMMANDER PLEADS FOR AN ARMISTICE

ALLIES OVERWHELM THE FORCES BEYOND PIAVE RIVER  
Enemy's Retreat Cut Off by Capture of Mountain Pass; Austro-Hungarian Armies Face Crisis; 1000 Square Kilometers of Italian Territory Reconquered in a Day; Whole Front Is Ablaze; Oderzo Is Taken.

LONDON, Eng., Oct. 31.—The Austrian commander in the Italian front has applied to Gen. Diaz, the Italian commander-in-chief, for an armistice, the Exchange Telegraph company states.

The application, the news agency adds, will be forwarded to the Versailles conference.

Fifteen Austrian divisions operating between the Brenta and the Piave, on the Italian front, have had their retreat cut off through the capture of the mountain pass of Vadal by Italian and allied troops.

Another report from the war office, covering the operations early Wednesday, says:

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